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Newport Insurance-Office.

The DIRECTORS of *The Newport Insurance Company*, conformable to the powers vested in them by the *Act of Incorporation*, have

Resolved, That the Payment of the Instalment, which becomes due on the first Monday in June next, be and the same is hereby suspended, until the first Monday in October next.

By Order of the Board,
J. DENISON, *Sec'ry.*
Newport, 24th April, 1800.

SUSAN FOWLER

Has, in addition to her former assortment, very handsome Morocco and cloth shoes, by the dozen or single pair; red ditto; lappet, embroidered and plain muslins; elegant lace and cypress gauze for veils and trimmings; black ditto; shawls; black muslins; white and colour'd kid gloves; common ditto; boys beaver hats.

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Newport, 28th April, 1800.

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WILLIAM TILLER, Administrator.
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JEREMIAH BROWN,
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All Persons indebted to said Estate, are required to make immediate Payment to

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South-Kingstown, April 14, 1800.

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Sherry Wine in Ditto—entitled to Drawback—very good.

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Port-Wine in Pipes—of an excellent Quality.

India Sugars—Loaf Sugar by the Hundred, or less Quantity—brown Sugar by the Hogshead.

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Newport, Feb. 4, 1800.

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ROBERT LAWTON

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AN elegant Variety of fashionable GOODS, adapted to the approaching Season;—which are, in Addition to his former beautiful Assortment of Satins, India Lutestrings, Modes, Calicoes, Chintzes, Linens, Ladies Hats, &c. &c.

All which Goods will be sold at a very low Advance.

Those who will please to call at his Store, he flatters himself, will not be disappointed in the Quality of his Goods, the Prices of them, or the Treatment they will receive.

Newport, Nov. 26, 1799.

BARRINGTON MEETING-HOUSE LOTTERY.

THE Honorable GENERAL ASSEMBLY of the State of *Rhode-Island*, &c. at their Session in *January*, 1798, having granted to the *United Congregational Society*, in *Barrington*, the Privilege of raising, by Lottery, the Sum of *Three Thousand Dollars*, for the Purposes of repairing their *House of public religious Worship*, and for the further Establishment of a *Gospel Ministry*, in said Society: The Subscribers having been appointed Managers thereof, and given Bonds according to Law, present to the Public the following

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The Managers being sensible of the Impropriety of *long standing* Lotteries, are determined to commence drawing of this, on the 20th of *May* next, and continue until it is completed.——A *LIST* of *PRIZES* will be published in the *Herald of the United States*, and the Prizes paid on Demand, except he *Seven highest*, which will be paid in *Thirty* Days after the Drawing is completed.

As the Object of this Lottery is for the Promotion of *Religion* and *Morality*, in a *so short* a Period fixed for drawing the same, the Managers hope for the Patronage of a generous Public, and a speedy Sale of the Tickets.

JOSHUA BICKNALL, } *Managers.*
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Barrington, Jan. 20, 1800.

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LATEST FROM EUROPE.

Yesterday arrived in this port, in 46 *days from Deal, the ship Boyne, Capt. Brown. By this vessel papers are received at the Office of the Daily Advertiser to the* 8th *of* March, *inclusive, from which we give the following extracts:—*

PARIS, 18 Ventose, February 20.
Installation of the Consuls.

YESTERDAY the Consuls were installed in their new place. The cavalcade set out at 1 o'clock from the Luxembourg. The Counsellors of State, the Secretary General, the Ministers and the Consuls, all in grand costume, proceeded to the Thuilleries, preceded by military music, and accompanied by the Etat Major of the 17th Military Division.

The Chief Consul quitted his carriage, mounted on horseback, and inspected the rank of the different corps stationed in the Court, and then repaired to one of the halls of the Palace, where the Minister of the Interior presented to the Consuls the members of the different administrative authorities at Paris. Several naval officers were presented by the minister of that department. the minister at war presented the Etat Major of the 17th Division, and General Murat those of the Consul Guard.

The ceremony was conducted with the greatest order, and though there was a great crowd no accident happened. The populace testified their joy by the warmest acclamations.

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The Members of the Diplomatic Body assembled together about one o'clock P. M. in one of the halls of the Government Palace which had been prepared for their reception, and which is called the Ambassador's Hall. When they were all arrived, they were ushered into the state apartment. They were then introduced by citizen Benezech, Counsellor of State, into the cabinet of the Consuls, where, together with the three Consuls, were assembled the Ministers, the Counsellors of State, the Secretary of State, and the Secretary General of the Consuls.

The different members of the Diplomatic Body were received by the Minister of the Interior at the entrance into the Cabinet, and the Minister for the Foreign Department presented them in the following order to the Chief Consul.

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February 26.

A French Officer of Artillery wrote to Buonaparte from Hamburgh in nearly the following terms.—

"We have been heretofore comrades and friends; the difference in our principles induced as to an opposite conduct in the revolution; yours has led you to great power; mine has caused me to be plundered of my effects, of my estate, and to be proscribed from my country. I do not repent of what I have done, and shall persist in my principles to the end of my life. But I have left in France a father and mother whom I tenderly love. For their consolation and my own, I set a great value on embracing them before death shall separate us for ever, I therefore request of you a passport as limited as you shall think proper, in order to make, them my last adieu. If you should please to grant it me, I declare that during my sojournment I shall do nothing to disturb the existing order of things."

In answer, the Author of this Letter received an unremited passport, and money to defray the expences of his journey.

DRESDEN, Feb. 12.

The Russian troops are in full march on their return home. A new Courier has brought an order for them to stop only every sixth day, instead of every third.

STRASBURGH, Feb. 12.

All the German Gazettes, which lately propagated doubts respecting the retreat of the Russian army, speak now of their retrograde march across Moravia and Gallicia.—Paul had at first ordered that his troops should march at the rate of five miles a day, but the bad state of the roads prevented its execution, and in a conference held at Cracow the 1st of Feb. it was agreed that they should not make longer marches than when on their way to Italy. They are divided into eight columns, of which four will pass by western Gallicia and cross Cracovia; the other four will pass by Lemberg. The first column that was to pass by Cracovia was expected there Feb. 7.

LONDON, March 3.

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Boxes, Half a Dollar—*Pit*, Quarter of a Dollar—*Gallery*, Nine Pence.

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NOTICE.

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District and Port of Newport, April 7th, 1800.

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He balances Plates, Swords, Pipes, Keys, Nails, Tables, Chairs, Glaſſes; walks backward and forward in full ſwing. He holds a Wine-Glaſs in his Mouth, on the Edge of the Glaſs a Bow of a Key, on the Key a Dollar, on the Edge of the Dollar a Point of a Sword, on the Hilt of the Sword a Pewter Plate, all turning round different Ways. Sits in a Chair on the Wire, with a Table, Bottle and Glaſs, and drinks.—Goes through a Hoop in different Ways on the Wire. Swings a Hoop over his Head, with a Glaſs of Wine in it, without ſpilling any. Walks about and turns round on the Wire, and plays a Pair of Caſtinets, in full ſwing. Balances a Peacock's Feather in different Ways.

Various Feats of Activity on the

SLACK ROPE:

Turns backwards and forwards, and forms himſelf into various Shapes. Hangs by one Leg in full ſwing. Hangs by his Feet in full ſwing. Lies down on the Rope in full ſwing. Stands on his Head. Stands on his Feet, and turns round at the Rate of 100 Times in a Minute.

The Wonderful CHINESE SHADES:

Which will repreſent upwards of a Hundred Figures, as large as Life—ſuch as an Elephant, a Lion, Tiger, Camel, Horſe; a Fox running away with a Gooſe; Harlequin getting a Bottle; Two Sailors dancing a Jig; Bartholomew Fair; beſides many other Things too numerous to mention.

Doors to be opened at Seven, and the Performance to Commence at Half after Seven.

Boxes,—Half a Dollar—*Pit*, Quarter of a Dollar—*Gallery*, Nine Pence.

Newport, May 5, 1800.

All Perſons having Demands on the Eſtate of Seth Dean, late of Newport, Mariner, deceaſed, are requeſted to exhibit the ſame for Settlement; and thoſe indebted to ſaid Eſtate to pay the Subſcribers.

SILAS DEAN, FRANCES DEAN, } *Excutors.*

☞ NOTICE.

The Connection in Buſineſs between the Subſcribers, under the Firm of *Mayhew & Shaw*, Little-Compton, is this Day diſſolved, by mutual Conſent.——The Accounts of the Concern will be ſettled by *Joſiah C. Shaw*, who will, in future, conduct the Buſineſs on his ſole Account, and intends keeping a conſtant Supply of ſeaſonable Goods.

Joſiah C. Shaw, Thaddeus Mayhew.

Little-Compton, April 18, 1800.

The Subſcriber, on the 7th April, having been appointed by the Hon. Town-Council of Newport, Guardian to *Martha Bissell*, of ſaid Newport, Widow—hereby cautions all Perſons againſt tranſacting any Buſineſs whatever with the ſaid Martha from the above Date.

JOHN STEVENS, *Guardian.*

Newport, May 5, 1800.

District and Port of Newport, April 7th, 1800.

WHEREAS more than Nine Months have elapſed ſince Twenty Bales of Indigo, Four Pots of Sweet Meats, and One Piece of blue Satin, were imported into this Port, in the Sloop Juliet, Ebenezer Shearman, Maſter, from Manilla, which were ſhipped by William Fitzgerald, who died on her Paſſage from ſaid Port, and conſigned to P. Farrel——and no legal Claimant has appeared to enter and pay the Duties on ſaid Goods; this therefore is to notify to all whom it may concern, that, unleſs a legal Claimant ſhould appear on or before the Tenth Day of May next, to enter ſaid Goods and pay the Duties thereon, they will, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon of that Day, be ſold at Public Auction, on the Wharf of Mr. Caleb Gardner, in Newport.

W. ELLERY, *Collector.*

N. B. The Articles ſpecified in the foregoing Advertiſement will not, if ſold, be expoſed to Sale on the Day therein mentioned. W. ELLERY, *Collector.*

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He returns his sincere Thanks to his Customers and the Public for past, and solicits future Favours.

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—ALSO—

Parsnip; Orange, Lemon, and Purple Carrot.—Salmon, short-top, and Turnip Radish.—Long green Turkey, white do. green do. long prickly, long green, and early short do. Cucumber.

Early and late Dutch Cabbage, early Yorkshire do; Sugar-Loaf do. green Savoy do. red do. drumhead do. battersea do. early & late Cauliflower do.	Curled Peppergrass White and brown. Mustard. White, silverskin & red Onion; Blood-red & Scarlet Beet; Thyme; Sweet Marjorum; Sage; Green & curled Cale. Curled Parsley; Garlic; Solid Cellery.
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Manufactured Tobacco—such as Pigtail, Negro-Head, Cut, Segars, Snuff, &c. very Cheap.
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Newport, Jan. 13, 1800.

NEWPORT and *NEW-LONDON*
New Line of STAGES:

From New-London to Newport, twice a Week, through Groton, Stonington Westerly, Charlestown, and South-Kingstown, &c.
(FOR THE WINTER SEASON)
—*AS FOLLOWS:*—
Leave New-London, Mondays and Thursdays, at 9, A. M.
Arrive at Newport, Tuesdays and Fridays, at 12, A. M.
RETURNING,
Leave Newport, Tuesdays and Fridays, at 2, P. M.
Arrive at New-London, Wednesdays and Saturdays, at 6, P. M.

EACH Passenger pays from New-London ferry to Narraganset Ferry, Three Dollars; the Remainder of the Road pays Fourpence Halfpenny per Mile, and are allowed Fourteen Pounds Baggage, each:——One Hundred Pounds extra Baggage pays the same as a Passenger.

Passengers at *Newport* may apply to Mr. *Townsend's*; and at *New-London*, at Mr. *Trink's* Tavern, where the Driver will call previous to his leaving those Places.

ALL Favours will be gratefully received, and thankfully acknowledged, by the Public's obedient and very humble Servants,
PETER CRARY & CO.

Stonington-Port, October 21, 1799.

GIBBS & CHANNING
HAVE FOR SALE,
ST. Petersburgh clean Hemp, Russia and Ravens Duck, first Quality —Cordage and Cables of all Dimensions— Russia and Swedes Iron, flat and square.
BY THE PACKAGE.
Sheetings; Platilles Royales; Brittanias; Rouens; Silesias; Creas-a-la-Morlaix; Stripes and Checks; Dowlas; Oznabrigs; Ticklenburghs; Sailors blue and white Linen; Bedticking; Linen for fine Shirts; Diaper; Hessian and brown Rolls; Linen for Bags; blue Broadcloths; German Flannels and Serges; Stationary, and Glass-Ware, calculated for the West-India Market, and intitled to Drawback on Exportation.

New-England Rum by the Hogshead or Cargo, on short Notice; Molasses, per Hogshead; Holland Gin, per Pipe; 6 by 8, and 7 by 9, Window Glass; superfine and fine Flour; Salt by the Quantity; Lead by the Ton.

Newport, Dec. 6, 1799.

CHRISTOPHER CHAMPLIN
HAS FOR SALE,
St. Petersburg Clean Hemp,
Swedes Iron,
Souchong Tea, per Chest,
And Molasses, per Hogshead.

Newport, Sept. 24th, 1799.

JOHN BOURS,
At the Sign of the GOLDEN EAGLE,
INVITES his Friends, old Customers and others, to his Shop, where a very handsome Assortment of GOODS, suitable for the Season, just imported, will be found upon as low Terms, for Cash, as at any Store in the State.

AMONG WHICH ARE,
A Variety of superfine broad Cloths of the most fashionable Colours—and Gentlemen's best Beaver Hats, of the newest Taste.

Newport December 30, 1799.

BENJAMIN HADWEN
Has just received, and has for Sale at his Store, in Thames-street, Corner of the Old Church-Lane,
A fresh Assortment of
FALL and WINTER GOODS.

Newport, 2d of 12th Month, 1799.

C. FOWLER & Comp.
HAVE FOR SALE,
A fresh Supply of *Baltimore, Alexandria* and *New-York*,
FLOUR,
per Quantity, single Barrel, or Half Barrel.
ALSO,
A general Assortment of GROCERIES, as usual.

Newport, Feb. 17, 1800.

Just received, by the Ship Semiramis, Capt. Jacob Smith, from Canton.

GUNPOWDER
Hyson
Souchong
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} Teas, per Chest or smaller Quantity.
Tea Cadies.
Waiters.
Boglipores.
Fans, Umbrellas, &c. &c.

And for Sale, by
JOHN C. SCOTT.

Newport, June 25, 1799.

GOULD & JOHN MARSH
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Mould and Dipt CANDLES, Soft and Hard SOAP (equal in Quality to New-York) Wholesale and Retail.

Cash given for TALLOW, GREASE, & ASHES.

☞ They take in Tallow, to dip into Candles, at 3 Cents per lb. with good Cotton Wick, and deliver Pound for Pound.

Newport, Feb. 10, 1800.

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A N Assortment of WEST-INDIA GOODS, cheap for Cash.

He also continues his BAKING BUSINESS as usual, on the Wharf below his House—where any Merchant or Captain of Vessel may be supplied with any Quantity of Ship or Pilot Bread, or Crackers, at the shortest Notice.

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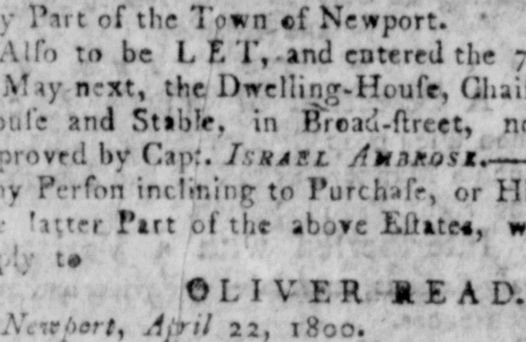
ELIZABETH SENTER, *Administratrix.*

Newport, Jan. 13, 1800.



NEWPORT and *NEW-LONDON*
New Line of STAGES:

From New-London to Newport, twice a Week, through Groton, Stonington Westerly, Charlestown, and Southkingstown, &c.
(FOR THE WINTER SEASON)
—*AS FOLLOWS*:—
Leave New-London, Mondays and Thursdays, at 9, A. M.
Arrive at Newport, Tuesdays and Fridays, at 12, A. M.
RETURNING,
Leave Newport, Tuesdays and Fridays, at 2, P. M.
Arrive at New-London, Wednesdays and Saturdays, at 6, P. M.

EACH Passenger pays from New-London Ferry to Narraganset Ferry, Three Dollars; the Remainder of the Road pays Fourpence Halfpenny per Mile, and are allowed Fourteen Pounds Baggage, each:——One Hundred Pounds extra Baggage pays the same as a Passenger.

Passengers at *Newport* may apply to Mr. *Townsend's*; and at *New-London*, at Mr. *Trink's* Tavern, where the Driver will call previous to his leaving those Places.

ALL Favours will be gratefully received, and thankfully acknowledged, by the Public's obedient and very humble Servants,
PETER CRARY & CO.

Stonington-Port, October 21, 1799.

GIBBS & CHANNING
HAVE FOR SALE,
ST. Petersburgh clean Hemp, Russia and Ravens Duck, first Quality —Cordage and Cables of all Dimensions—Russia and Swedes Iron, flat and square.
BY THE PACKAGE.
Sheetings; Platilles Royales; Brittanias; Rouens; Silesias; Creas-a la-Morlaix; Stripes and Checks; Dowlas; Oznabrigs; Ticklenburghs; Sailors blue and white Linen; Bedticking; Linen for fine Shirts; Diaper; Hessian and brown Rolls; Linen for Bags; blue Broadcloths; German Flannels and Serges; Stationary, and Glass Ware, calculated for the West-India Market, and intitled to Drawback on Exportation.

New-England Rum by the Hogshead or Cargo, on short Notice; Molasses, per Hogshead; Holland Gin, per Pipe; 6 by 8, and 7 by 9, Window Glass; superfine and fine Flour; Salt by the Quantity; Lead by the Ton.

Newport, Dec. 6, 1799.

CHRISTOPHER CHAMPLIN
HAS FOR SALE,
St. Petersburg Clean Hemp,
Swedes Iron,
Souchong Tea, per Chest,
And Molasses, per Hogshead.

Newport, Sept. 24th, 1799.

JOHN BOURS,
At the Sign of the GOLDEN EAGLE,
INVITES his Friends, old Customers and others, to his Shop, where a very handsome Assortment of GOODS, suitable for the Season, just imported, will be found upon as low Terms, for Cash, as at any Store in the State.

AMONG WHICH ARE,
A Variety of superfine broad Cloths of the most fashionable Colours—and Gentlemen's best Beaver Hats, of the newest Taste.

Newport December 30, 1799.

BENJAMIN HADWEN
Has just received, and has for Sale at his Store, in Thames-street, Corner of the Old Church-Lane,
A fresh Assortment of
FALL and WINTER GOODS.

Newport, 2d of 12th Month, 1799.

C. FOWLER & Comp.
HAVE FOR SALE,
A fresh Supply of *Baltimore, Alexandria* and *New-York*,
FLOUR,
per Quantity, single Barrel, or Half Barrel.
ALSO,
A general Assortment of GROCERIES, as usual.

Newport, Feb. 17, 1800.

Just received, by the Ship Semiramis, Capt. Jacob Smith, from Canton.

GUNPOWDER
Hyson
Souchong
Bohea
} Teas, per Chest or smaller Quantity.
Tea Cadies.
Waiters.
Boglipores.
Fans, Umbrellas, &c. &c.

And for Sale, by
JOHN C. SCOTT.

Newport, June 25, 1799.

GOULD & JOHN MARSH
Have for Sale, at their SOAP & CANDLE Manufactory, on the Wharf next South of the Post-Office,
Mould and Dipt CANDLES, Soft and Hard SOAP (equal in Quality to New-York) Wholesale and Retail.

Cash given for TALLOW, GREASE, & ASHES.

☞ They take in Tallow, to dip into Candles, at 3 Cents per lb. with good Cotton Wick, and deliver Pound for Pound.

Newport, Feb. 10, 1800.

BENJAMIN HILL
Respectfully informs his old Customers and the Public in general, that he has opened a Store next Northward of Messrs. Gibbs & Channing's, where he has
AN Assortment of WEST-INDIA GOODS, cheap for Cash.

He also continues his BAKING BUSINESS as usual, on the Wharf below his House—where any Merchant or Captain of Vessel may be supplied with any Quantity of Ship or Pilot Bread, or Crackers, at the shortest Notice.

Justices Warrants, Executions, &c. for Sale by the Printer hereof.